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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: :
TADAKIYO NAKAGAWA ET AL :
SERIAL NO.: NEW APPLICATION :
FILED: HEREWITH :
FOR: BENZAMIDINE DERIVATIVE :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231

SIR:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend this application as follows.

IN THE CLAIMS

Please cancel Claims 2-27 without prejudice.

REMARKS

Claims 2-27 have been canceled. Claim 1 remains pending.